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SUBJECT: PORTUGUESE TIMOR-MESSAGE OF DECEMBER 17 TO PRESIDENT  
OF UN SECURITY COUNCIL FROM UDT, APODETI, KOTA AND TRABALHISTA  
DECLARING ESTABLISHMENT OF PROVISIONAL GOVERNMENT OF EASTERN TIMOR

1. THE PRESIDENT OF THE UN SECURITY COUNCIL (UNSC) HAS  
CIRCULATED TO SC MEMBERS THE FOLLOWING CABLE TO HIM FROM THE  
PORTUGUESE TIMORAN POLITICAL PARTIES-APODETI, UDT, KOTAN AND  
TRABALHISTA DECLARING ESTABLISHMENT ON DECEMBER 17, 1975 OF THE  
PROVISIONAL GOVERNMENT OF EASTERN TIMOR:

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H.E. CHAIRMAN OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL OF  
THE UNITED NATIONS  
NEW YORK, USA

YOUR EXCELLENCY

HEREWITH, WE WOULD LIKE TO PRESENT TO YOUR EXCELLENCY

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THE STATEMENT ON BEHALF OF THE PEOPLE OF EASTERN TIMOR OF WHICH

CONTENTS ARE AS FOLLOWS:

STATEMENT

1. IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE FIRM DETERMINATION OF THE PEOPLE OF EASTERN TIMOR TO DECIDE THEIR OWN FUTURE DECLARED BY APODETI, UDT, KOTA AS WELL AS TRABALHISTA IN THE PROCLAMATION OF NOVEMBER 30, 1975:

2. AFTER THE LIBERATION OF DILI, THE CAPITAL OF EASTERN TIMOR AND THE LARGER PART OF THE TERRITORY OF EASTERN TIMOR AS WELL FROM THE INFLUENCE AND THE SAVAGERY OF THE TERRORISTS, CARRIED OUT BY THE FORCES OF THE PEOPLE OF EASTERN TIMOR LED BY APODETI, UDT, KOTA AND TRABALHISTA:

3. IN VIEW OF THE FACT THAT THERE HAS BEEN AN ABSENCE OF ADMINISTRATION IN THE TERRITORY OF EASTERN TIMOR RESULTED FROM THE INABILITY AS WELL THE IRRESPONSIBILITY OF THE GOVERNMENT OF PORTUGAL:

THUS, ON BEHALF OF THE PEOPLE OF EASTERN TIMOR, HEREBY WE DECLARE THE ESTABLISHMENT OF THE PROVISIONAL GOVERNMENT OF EASTERN TIMOR IN ORDER TO ALLOW AN ORDERLY GOVERNMENT, ORDERLY ADMINISTRATION, PEACE AND ORDER, SO THAT NORMAL LIFE OF THE PEOPLE OF EASTERN TIMOR CAN BE FULLY RESTORED.

DILI, DECEMBER 17, 1975

ON BEHALF OF THE PEOPLE OF EASTERN TIMOR,  
PROVISIONAL GOVERNMENT OF THE TERRITORY OF EASTERN TIMOR,  
FOR APODETI,                      FOR U.D.T.

(ARNALDO DE ARAUJO)              (F.X. LOPES DA CRUZ)

FOR KOTA,                      FOR TRABALHISTA

(JANUARIO DOS REIS COSTA      (DOMINGGUS PAREIRA)

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